Miller & Rhoads.

Heavy-Weight Underwear for Ladies And Children.

2d. Floor 6th. St. Front.

Plenty of room and plenty of light in this department. The Underwear will bear the closest scrutiny you can give it for imperfections-which you won't find.

Ladies part wool Vests and Pants white and natural gray 75c,

Ladies black wool Tights much more comfortable than skirts in cold weather \$1.00 and \$1.75.

Ladies Union Suits heavy fleeced lined cotton, the Onelta Style 50c. Ladies Combed Egyptian Cotton Vests and Pants-special 39c.

Ladies part wool knit Underskirts

stripes 50c.

Boys heavy fleeced Shirts and

Little Church Around the Corner.

WAS VERY ECONOMICAL

the committee was but \$5,769,99.

This committee consisted of Senators Mann, Walker and Anderson, and Delegates Davis, Caton and Bonz. They worked all the summer, some of them in this city, others at their homes, and some for part of the summer at Wytheville. The work was not only arduous and formidable in volume, but required a great deal of time, and it was done in a very thorough manner. The thanks of the General Assembly and of the State are due and will doubtless be formally tendered the committee before the Legislature adjourns sine die.

Senator Lupton Ill.

Senator S. L. Lupton, of Frederick county, who is ill at the Memorial Hos-plini, is reported as doing very nicely. It was not generally known that the sen-

nfor was ill, and the exact nature of his illness is not stated. The information was ellcited last night by inquiry that while his illness is not serious, it might

ported by the hospital authorities as

Bogus Gold Pieces.

lature adjourns sine die.

REVISION COMMITTEE

Childrens Union Suits heavy fleeced

Made to sell for \$20.00 each but they came to us underprice a

We consider them such exceptional values at \$12.50 that in order to even things up we took a number of our regular \$16.50 suits and marked them

Mille Rhoads

SEE OUR ADVERTISEMENT ON THE WOMAN'S PAGE OF THIS EVEN-ING'S NEWS LEADER.

CHRISTMAS DINNER

the Methodist Institute.

Hudgins. James-Mrs. John Walford and Mrs.

AT THE ACADEMY.

"The Auctioneer."

The attraction at the Academy on Mon-day night will be David Warfield, the brilliant young comedian, who, thanks to the managerial skill, and foresight

ON THE BABY.

Coffee Even the Bables Thrive On.
The little daughter of a College President was saved by the use of Postum
Food Coffee at a time when she could
not take solid food.
Baby's aunt says: "My slater and her
husband (who is President of a College
in Georgia) visited me last Christmas, and
their little baby two months old, was very
sick. I hought it was not properly noursick. I thought it was not properly nour-ished so 1 began feeding it on Postum

ished so 1 began feeding it on Postum which I have used in my own home for years with such grand results.

"You would be surprised to know how that little thing improved. Sister had been feeding it on artificial food that did not agree with it. The baby continued to get stronger all the time we were feeding her on Postum, and when sister left here she tok Postum with her, for she feels certain that with Postum to feed the baby on she is sure of good, healthy

she feels certain that with Postum to feed the baby on she is sure of good, healthy nourishing food drink." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek Mich. Postum is made of the purest cercals with absolutely no medication whatever, and when boiled according to directions, it is heavy with food value and a great nourisher and rebuilder as well as a de-licious drink. It is also a specific for all of the dozens of different diseases caused by coffee. Trial proves this.

Ladies flannellette Gowns in fancy

Drawers all sizes 25c.

Womens Suits for \$12.50 Worth \$20.00

Novelty mixtures and checks, some made in Norfolk jacket style, others corset coat effects.

at \$12.50 to make the sale worth something to you before Christmas.

sale at the Academy for the coming of "The Rogers Brothers in London" next TO HAVE A GREAT Good-Bye to Knickerbocker. Good-Bye to Knickerbocker. "The Knickerbocker Girl," will be presented for the last time in this city this season by the Wells-Dunne-Harlan-Marble-Chips organization this afternoon and to-night. The production is a revelation in the way of dancing, singing, costuming and humor of the most enjoyable type. It is fun from the moment the curtain raises to the last wave of Professor Nichols) baton. That's why the popular theatre is packed nightly. Little Church Around the Corner.

Poor and Needy Will be Fed at

Arrangements are being made for the finnal Christmas dinner which has been given to the poor for the past several steers at the Methodist Institute, on East Adain Street. About five hundred of the city's poor will be fed. The date for the great feast has been fixed on Turesday, December 19th.

The arrangements are in the hands of the laddes who constitute the board of yistors of the Institute. The following committees have been appointed to solieit contributions of ment, bread, candy, etc. Park Place—Mrs. A. C. Becker, Mrs. Chappell, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Lynham and Mrs. G. G. Hughes.

Clay Street—Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Edward Lillie and Mrs. George Tiller.

Asbury—Mrs. Dalton, Mrs. Willis and

ge Tiller, oury—Mrs. Dalton, Mrs. Willis and Southard, Henury—Misses Jones, Ayres and

St. James—arts. John Wallord and Mrs. Massey.
Trinity—Mrs. Pleasants, Mrs. New, Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Hannon.
Broad Street—Mrs. Minitree Folces, Mrs. Smithdeal and Mrs. Julia Hobson.
Fairmonnt—Mrs. Nuckols, Mrs. B. R.
Thompson and Misses Jeter and Mitchell.
Hasker Momorial—Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Ball and Mrs. Strickland.
Denny Street—Mrs. Nelsen, Mrs. Rogers
Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Jones.
Union Station—Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Creekmore, Mrs. Lee Stevenson and Mrs. Pearman.

Laurej Street-Pastor will name com

mixee.

Epworth—Pastor will name committee

As the work of the mission is not denominational, all needy persons are inyited to partake of the dinner.

No name in American theatricals is more familiar than that of Lizzie Evans, the magnetic little comedy star, whose appearance here in "At Cozy Corners" gakes place this afternoon and to-night. Claston Wilstach, manager of Miss Evans, wishes this statement made public: "To the excellence of Miss Lizzie Evans' reputation as an actress of bright, spontaneous comedy roles, I have fadded a company of eighteen performers, whose equal in the parts assigned them in 'At Cozy Corners' cannot be excelled, in my judgment, by any similar collection of actors in this country. To this group of talent I have added special diverting features of the best procurable in the musical and dancing line. These I have combined with the regular cast employed in the presentation of 'At 'Cozy Corners,' with the intention of giving our audiences the best and most filling evening's entertainment, at the standard dollar price, of any company's coffering on the road. I will willingly give \$1.50 to any purchaser of a dollar feat who will, after the second act of 'At Cozy Corners,' frankly state to me 'Ant the performance is not worth the optice."

"The Auctioneer."

Bogus Gold Pieces.

To all people: Examine your twenty-dollar gold pieces. They may glitter, but they may not be gold.

Some of the banks of Richmond have notified their depositors and patronage generally that some spurious \$20 gold deces have made their appearance in Richmond just now, and it would be well to see if the glitter will come off before receiving coin of that denomination. Sell Two Gallons. The concurrence of the Senate in the Hours amendment to Senate bill 376, fixing the quantity of liquor that may be sold by distillers at two gallons minimum, instead of one gallon, as provided in the Senate bill originally, adopts of David Belasco, flashed into stellar prominence two years ago and who has since met with such uniform success.

The Rogers Brothers. There has been the liveliest sort of a the two gallon limit, and the bill now goes to the Governor for approval,

Hunt Club Meet.

The Deep Run Hunt Club will have its regular meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Brook birdge on Brook turnpike. The prospects are for clear weather and

Fair Oaks Distillery.

The Fair Oaks Distillery Company will tegin operations to-morrow, at Stony Creek, Hearico county, The output on the start will be 300 gallons per day, with a possible increase to 900 gallons, V. Donati, of Illchmond, is president of the company.

On the Floor.

Among the prominent visitors on the floor of the House yesterday were former Governor W. A. McCorkle, of West Virginia; Judge W. R. Barkedale, of Hallfax, and Congressman R. G. Southall & Amelia. all, of Amelia.

Qualifications.

United Chancery Court yesterday James W. Bacigadupo qualified as administrator of John A. Bacigadupo, and O. E. Lowry as administrator of the estate of Henry S. Lowry, deceased. Both the estates are small.

THE VISIT OF MISS GOULD

Spends Two Hours Here and Inspects the Street Car Men's Y. M. C. A.

WILL RETURN TO OPENING

Greets the Y. M. C. A. Members and Gets a Snap-Shot of a Group of Them.

After a two hours' visit spent here yes. terday, Miss Helen Miller Gould, of New York, announced that she would return to Richmond in February and be present partment of the Y. M. C. A., an insti-tution made possible by her liberality.

In view of this fact, it is further an nounced by the managers of the Y. M. great event in the Y. M. C. A. history of the State. Preparations are already being made and an elaborate programme will be prepared. The opening will occur about the time of the State Y. M. C. A. Convention, to be held in Richmond and this will add no little to the occasion. In addition to Miss Gould there will be several other distinguished guests. It is said that Miss Gould herself will be accompanied by a prominent visitor from the North, possibly her brother, but Secretary McKee refused to say last night who this visitor is to be.

VISIT OF TWO HOURS.

Miss Gould and her party reached Richmond at 11:16 o'clock yesterday morning from Old Point and remained here until 2 P. M., when they left over the Chesapeake and Ohio for St. Louis, where they will attend a meeting of the lady managers of the St. Louis Exposition, Besides Miss Gould herself there were her cousin, Miss Palm, of Philadelphia; Miss Orton, Miss Tucker, Miss Montgomery, Miss Orton, Miss Tucker, Miss Coots, of New York.

At the train the party was met by President Sitterding, General Manager Huff. great event in the Y. M. C. A. history

Montgomery, Miss Athania and Sara Coots, of New York.

At the train the party was met by President Sitterding, General Manager Huff, Secretary Northrop and Superintendent Buchanan. Shortly after their arrival they went on a special car to the Y. M. C. A. building at the Reservoir. All the men not on duty gathered at the club house to bid her a welcome. She met a number of them, and then expressed a desire to take a snap-shot of the group. She was very thoughtful, however, and told the men that such of them as didn't want to be included, need not hesitate to say so. She realized that many people do not like to be photographed.

"I do not like it myself," said Miss Gould.

Little Church Around the Corner.

Beginning Monday night for an engagement of a week, "The Little Church Around the Corner," will be the bill for the Bijou Theatre. The play is being presented by a Vance-Sullivan Company, which has several companies on the road this season. The play is a melodrama, of the same kind which has proven so popular this season. There will be nightly prformances, with the usual matinees. Gould.

The pictures taken, the party boarded the car again and went to the Jefferson Hotel, where lunch was served in a private dining-room. The ladies then lastened to catch the 2 o'clock train to

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WAS DELIGHTED.

Miss Gould expressed herself as being delighted with Richmond. She seemed very much pleased with the condition of the Y. M. C. A. work here, and will probably manifest a deeper interest in it, particularly since the street railway men are the employes of her brother.

The Railroad Department is one of the benevolences of Miss Gould. It has not been definitely stated what amount of money she will give to it, but the building will be thoroughly equipped. According to Miss Gould, the gifts are not her's solely, but come from organizations When the joint committee of the General Assembly on Revision of the Statutes completed its work a few weeks ago and delivered its report to the two houses for their action. It did to the two ago and delivered its report to the two houses for their action, it did a very unusual thing. That unusual thing was the return to the treasury of a statement showing that a balance of \$1,700.19 remained unexpended of the original appropriation of \$7,500 to meet the expenses of the committee. In short, the entire cost of the long and laborious work of the committee was but \$5,700.90.

This committee consisted of Senators her's solely, but come from organizations offerings and aid of other people.

POLICE BILL IS NOW IN SENATE COMMITTEE

The bill offered by Hon. L. T. Christian, of this city, to amend the city charter of Richmond, in relation to the organization of the police department, passed the Houss yesterday, and is now in the Senate Committee on Counties, Cities

and Towns.

Mr. Christian has written a letter to Clerk Ben. T. August, of the Council, setting forth that when the bill was considered by the House committee Councilman W. A. Crenshaw and President W. M. Turpin, of the Board of Aldermen, were present and interposed no objections.

tions.

He suggests that if councilmen desire to oppose the measure, the way is open in the Senate committee.

Installation Services.

Two additional elders and two addi-tional deacons were elected last Sab-iath to serve the Bon Air Presbyterian The officers elected were Messrs. Harvie Blair and George L. Cook

Harvie Blair and George L. Cook, to be elders, and Messrs. Polk Miller and David McIntosh, to be dencons.

Mr. Blair and Mr. Miller were, until recently and for many years, clder and deacon, respectively, in the Second Presbyterian Church of this city.

The installation services will be conducted next Sabbath morning by Dr. McElroy, secretary of Ministerial Relief. It will be an interesting occasion, with some excellent music by the best choir in the State perhaps, for the size of the church.

Charters Granted. The following charters have been grant-ed by the State Corporation Commis-

ion: Independent Industrial Corporation, Nottoway Courthouse, J. H. Fowlkes, president; capital stock \$400 to \$500.

The Millboro Social Club, W. C. Warren

president.
Bouthern Distilling Incorporation, Nor-folk, B. L. Woodard president; capital stock, \$100,000 to \$300,000.

Pound Party.

A pound party will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. Wall, No. 2912 East Main Street, for the benefit of the "breakfast fund" of the Methodist Institute. The ladies interested in the party are anxious for the friends of charity to respond to the appeal for help.

Pay Poll Taxes. Up to date less than 0,000 voters in Richmond have paid their poll taxes to

the city treasurer.
The absolute limit to the time is Monday. Those who do not pay up by that day will not be allowed to participate in the elections next year.

Circuit Court.

Suit was instituted in the City Circuit Court yesterday by the Savings Bank of Richmond vs. B. S. Rugland and wife for \$10!.

The jury in the case of R. F. Gaskins vs. the Richmond Ice Company was adjourned until to-day.

Calvary Baptist Church.



W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes have by their excellent style, easy-fitting and superior wearing qualities, achieved the largest sale of any \$3.50 shoe in the world. They are just as good as those that cost you \$5 to \$7—the only difference is the price. If I could take you into my factory at Brockton, Mass., the largest in the world under one roof making men's fine shoes, and show you the infinite care with which every pair of Douglas shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are the best shoes produced any where in the world. If I could show you the difference between the shoes made in my factory and those of other makes, you would understand why Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe in the market to-day.

These are the reasons W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's Goodyear Welt (hand-sewed process) \$3.50 shoes than any other manu-facturer in the world.

\$25,000 Reward will be paid to any one who can disprove this

Shoes by mail, 25c. extra. Write for Catalog.

RICHMOND: 623 East Broad Street. W. L. Douglas High Grade

W. N. WATKINS, Mgr.

Corona Colt is the highest grade patent leather made. That Douglas uses it proves there is value in Douglas \$3.50 shoes. Fast Color Eyelets Used Exclusively.

Boys' Shoes, \$2.00 and \$1.75.

MOTHER AND SON IN PRISON TOGETHER

Mrs. Ellen Bailey and "Bill Bailey," of Augusta, Surrounded by Another Wall.

> Mrs. Ellen Balley, aged fifty years, and "Bill" Balley, aged nineteen, her son, of Augusta county, are now in the penitentiary the mother to serve ten years, the son eighteen years, as accomplices in wrecking a passenger train. They were brought down from Staunton on Thursday night, and have now been

> out to work. These two convicts will probably suffer but little except missing the freedom of their old homes. Both are stolid; both are surrounded by walls of ignorance than those which envelop; Virginia's prison. The mother has neve; learned to read. Possibly she never tried, for the want of an opportunity. The ron

the want of an opportunity. The son tried, at least, he was at school two sessions, and had enough sense to be disgusted and quit, when he found he was making ne progress.

If there be no intelligence in their faces, there is also no look of crime.

Both denied their guilt, but a strong case was made out. The jury were satisfied that the scheme to wreek the train and get hooty from the dead and injured was concoted in the Balley home, with the knowledge of Mrs. Balley, and that "Bill Balley" was present when the deed was accomplished.

The terms of their sentences will mean little more or less than their lives at home would have meant—they will have something to eat, something to war and work in plenty to do. That is all they

work in plenty to do. That is all they have ever had, save the free air of heaven to breathe.

INVESTIGATE AGAIN DURING NEXT WEEK

It is understood that the Committee of Municipal Investigation will hold a meeting some time next week and that Captain Fizzini and others will be put on the stand. Chairman Minor declines to discuss his corceptondence with Mr. George E. Fisher in any manner whatever, but it is more than likely that he nas heard from Mr. Fisher, and that the New Yorker has declined to receive the subcommittee in his office.

The proposition to send the subcommittee to New York is not a popular one in councilmanic circles, and there are but few who endorse it. It is probable that there will be still another public meeting of the committee of the committee one to be held next week.

SEEKS INFORMATION.

Wants to Know Something About Commander Forrest.

Major Howard has received a letter from a party who is anxious to hear something about Commander Frank Forrest, of the United States navy, and afterwards the Confederate navy. He lived at "Claremont," now Alexandria, in of the dozens of different diseases caused by coffee. Trial proves this.

Dr. Simpson at Home.

Lock in each package for a copy of the fis pulpit at the Clay Street Methodist famous little book. The Road to Well
Will.

At Calvary Baptist Church to-morrow morning Dr. Weston Bruner, the paster, the paster, the paster, the paster, the paster to will take as his theme "The Burning the Confederate may, He lived the Confederate may, He lived the Confederate may, the lived the Confederate may, Income thing about Commander Frank Formering Dr. Weston Bruner, the paster, will take as his theme "The Burning the Confederate may, He lived the Confederate may, Income thing about Commander Frank Formering Dr. Weston Bruner, the paster, will take as his theme "The Burning the Confederate may, and after the Co

or his people will be forwarded to the person seeking the information if sent to Chief of Police Howard at the City Hall.

County and City Officers,

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Among the bills reported to the Senate yesterday by the Committee for Courts of Justice was House bill 309 in relation to election of State, county, district and city officers, the terms of their offices and filling vacancies therein. The measure, a bill of fourteen printed pages, was taken up and passed.

House bill 408, to provide for the appointment of police justices and their jurisdiction, in cities in which, by the terms of their charters, no provision is made for the election of police justices. This bill went on the calendar, but was not taken up. It is the last in the volume of House bills.

Negroes Convicted.

In the Hustings Court yesterday James Randolph was given ten years for mall-clops assault, and James Taylor got eighteen years for highway robbery. Otts Robertson was convicted of mallclous as-sault and given one year in the peniten-

tiary.

Taylor was convicted of snatching a purse from Mrs. L. L. Perkinson on the night of November 23d, 1963.

Dr. Witherspoon's Subjects Dr. Witherspoon s Subjects.

Dr. Witherspoon, paster of Grace
Street Presbyterian Church, will occupy
his pulpit to-morrow morning and at
night.

The Design because

night.
The Doctor has selected two interesting topics for his discussion.
His morning subject will be; "Peter in the House of Simon, the Tranner," and at night his subject will be; "Peter in the House of the Soldier,"

Professor Forrest's Lecture. Frotessor Forrest's Lecture,
Frotessor William M. Porrest, of the
University of Virginia, will deliver the
address Sunday night before the auxifary of the Christian Woman's
Board of Missions of the Seventh
Street Christian Church, His subject will be: "India's Afothers and
Daughters." The public have been cordially invited.

Personal and General.

Rey, R. M. Tuttle, pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Collerstown, Va., has left the Memorial Hospital, where it is hoped he will continue to improve, He was accompanied by Mrs. Tuttle, Rey, Joseph Rennie, of Amelia Courthouse, has been in the city several days, attending the Presbyterian Sabbath School Convention on Church Hill.

MERCHANTS!

Holiday Announcements

You will be surprised at the results obtained by using The Little Tce-Dee Want Ads.

They go into every Corner of the Homes and they are read by Everyone

TRY THEM-They are Cheap, Speedy and Sure. Phone 549 for the Want Ad. Man.

He Will Come.

SMALLEST DOCKET OF THE SEASON

Justice John Had Little to Worry His Mind Yesterday.

One of the "mensilest" dockets Justic-John ever had lined up before him yes-terday morning, and it took him just a terday morning, and it took him just a tew minutes to dispose of it.

Hichard Tunstall had all the ear marks of a suspicious character, and he was put under bonds for twelve months.

Thomas Fox, wanted in Hanover county as a fugitive, charged in Hanover county as a fugitive, charged with having eominited a felony, was turned over to the Hanover authorities.

The case of Sa belonging to M. 11, 13urton, had his case continued to the loth.

Lucy Jones paid \$2.50 for being drunk. 15th.

Litey Jones paid \$2.50 for being drunk and disorderly on the street.

J. D. Hancock went down for tea days for drunks must give two other plant drunks were subjected to the usual fine of and costs. Some paid and some didn't,

FOR W. U. BOYS.

A Benefit Foot-Ball Game for

The Painter Wants His Christmas Dinner

just as much as any other man. Let me help my journeymen to buy their Christmas turkeys by glving me the contract to paint your house now instead of waiting till spring. That will be an act of practical charity, and you'll get better work than if you put it off, because I have none but skilled mechanics now, but in the spring rush I often have to hire strangers that we know little about.

HARGROVE, Painter, 810 East Franklin St.

by patronizing the game, whether they desire to attend or not.

Turn out and help the boys to enjoy a merrier Christmas than now seems in prospect for them.

THE LAST DAYS OF ST. PIERRE

At His Death Bed.

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Ar Philip Wright, of Abingdon, Van and Miss Nancy Wright, of Lynchburg, arrived in Richmond on Wednesday might and were present Thursday at the death of their father, Mr. Philip J. Wright They will accompany his remains to Amherst.

Mr. Berryman Named.

The State Corporation Commission have named Mr. S. M. Herryman, of Berryville, as a director on the part of the State in the Berryville and Millwood Turnpike Company.

MOODWARD & SON LUMBER ROUGH and DRESSED General Offices—Ninth and Arch Streets.

General Offices—Ninth and Arch Streets.

A foot-ball game will be played at Broad Sireet Park this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the bonefit of the striking Western Union, messenger boys. The teams that will be played at Broad Sireet Park this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the bonefit of the striking Western Union, messenger boys. The teams that the beart of the fray are the Richmond at the death of the fray are the Richmond and Millwood the strong eleved. The strikers, the Postal messengers and not the ground another strong eleved. The strikers the Postal messengers and the art of the game.

The strikers, Le Postal messengers and of Martibique, and draw lessons from the conditions that will be extremely impressive and helpful.

The messenger boys who went out are still unemployed, and many of them can lill aford to do without the renumeration they had been receiving especially in midwinter and on the eve of Christmas. The song service will be opened promptly at 2:45, and the lights will be turned of a few minutes after half-past S. The doors will be opened promptly at 2:45, and their friends that those who sympash and their friends that those who sympash and their friends that those who sympash and their friends that these who sympash the winter and on the eve of Christmas. The believed that the hall will be a great meeting on the All the Central Y. M. C. A. Hall to-move the tend of 3:20. Frank R. Rob-eson, of New York, a magnificent to the frank and the central Y. M. C. A. Hall